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Applicant: Rudolf VALENTA et al. Conf.: 4340
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For: NON-ANAPHYLACTIC FORMS OF GRASS POLLEN
PH1 P6 ALLERGEN AND THEIR USE

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

September 13, 2001

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated August 13, 2001, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 12 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please replace claim 11 with the following amended claim.

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C 11. (Amended) A method of diagnostic monitoring of hyposensitization therapy which comprises exposing a patient blood-derived sample to the immunogen according to claim 1, or the immunogenic molecule combination according to claim 6, and detecting antibody binding to the immunogen.